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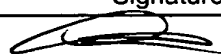
Address to: <b>Box PATENT APPLICATION</b> Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.	CHEN3558/EM
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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

Entitled:	Method For Increasing Structural Strength Of Spokes Of A Bicycle Or A Motorcycle
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- ☒ 1. Submitted herewith are the following:
- 8 pages of specification, including claims and Abstract.
  - 5 sheets of FORMAL drawings (Figs. 1-4, Table 1 and Table 2).
  - 3 claims.
  - 1 Oath/Declaration signed by each inventor.
  - 1 Application Data Sheet.
  - 1 Assignment of the invention to Sha Dar Accessories Co., Ltd., Taipei, Taiwan, R.O.C., Cover Sheet, and payment of the \$40 recordal fee.
  - 1 check in the amount of \$415 (\$375 Filing Fee; \$40- Assignment Recordation Fee).
- ☒ 2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.
- ☒ 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.
- ☐ 4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application claims the benefit of provisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. - -
- ☐ 5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_. - -
- ☐ 6. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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